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The Honorable William Wehrum Assistant Administrator Office of Air and Radiation U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

Dear Administrator Wehrum,

On behalf of the Motor & Equipment Manufacturers Association (MEMA), which represents the vehicle suppliers, I would like to personally invite you to speak at MEMA's 2018 Legislative Summit being held April 10, 2018 in Washington, D.C. at the Mandarin Oriental Hotel.

As the leading trade association in an industry fundamental to the American economy, we would be honored if you would speak at our annual Legislative Summit on fuel efficiency and emissions standards, including CAFE and GHG emissions. These issues are critical to vehicle suppliers. The time slot is between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on April 10, however, the schedule is flexible, and we can accommodate your availability.

Collectively, motor vehicle parts suppliers directly employ more than 871,000 Americans and have an indirect employment impact of 4.26 million jobs in all 50 states. Suppliers are at the forefront in investments in new technologies to meet the emissions standards and they take on the initial investments and the associated risks to develop technologies for their vehicle manufacturer customers. Suppliers have ongoing, extensive investments in research and development of advanced technologies to bring needed emissions-reducing technologies to fruition. Addressing MEMA's Legislative Summit attendees will allow you a unique opportunity to inform leading vehicle supplier executives from all over the country, from Fortune 500 companies to medium-and small-business owners.

MEMA's Legislative Summit is a cornerstone of the automotive industry, and we hope your schedule will allow you to directly address this important sector. This is a member only event and closed to the press. If your staff should have any questions regarding this request or require any additional information, please contact Catherine Boland at (202) 312-9241 or at <a href="mailto:cboland@mema.org">cboland@mema.org</a>. Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

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